

H.R. 3783: Mr. SOUDER and Mr. STEARNS.  
H.R. 3790: Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. PITTS, Mr. ARCHER, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. BAKER, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. UPTON, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. EWING, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, and Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 3792: Mr. PITTS and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 3855: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. COYNE, Mr. TIERNEY, and Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 3876: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 3940: Mr. MATSUI.

H.R. 3942: Mr. BLUNT.

H.R. 4019: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania and Mr. YATES.

H.R. 4028: Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. BALDACCIO.

H.R. 4070: Mr. EDWARDS.

H.R. 4071: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 4073: Mr. STARK, Ms. LEE, Mr. FORD, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

H.R. 4090: Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 4126: Mr. WATKINS.

H.R. 4146: Mr. LAFALCE.

H.R. 4153: Mr. COOK, Mrs. MYRICK, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. METCALF.

H.R. 4174: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. GOSS, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. MCCREY, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. COBURN, Mr. KLUG, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. SENBRENNER, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. HERGER, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. COX of California, Mr. HOBSON, and Mr. PORTMAN.

H.R. 4196: Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 4213: Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. WALSH, Mr. QUINN, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCINTOSH, and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 4214: Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. WISE, Mr. BORSKI, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 4220: Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 4228: Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. TALENT.

H.R. 4233: Mr. NADLER, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. PASCRELL, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, and Mr. BROWN, of California.

H.R. 4238: Mr. GUTIERREZ and Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 4255: Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 4285: Mr. JEFFERSON and Mr. WELLER.

H.R. 4339: Mr. GEKAS and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 4341: Mr. SKAGGS and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.J. Res. 123: Mr. SANDLIN.

H. Con. Res. 210: Mrs. MORELLA and Ms. DUNN of Washington.

H. Con. Res. 290: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, and Mr. NETHERCUTT.

H. Con. Res. 313: Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. MILLER of California.

H. Res. 460: Mr. POSHARD, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H. Res. 475: Mr. FORD, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. LEACH.

H. Res. 512: Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. BERRY, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CAMP, Ms. CARSON, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CLYBURN, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. DEUTSCH, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. ETHERIDGE,

Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GORDON, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. JOHN, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KLINK, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. REYES, Mr. SABO, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. TIERNEY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. VENTO, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WISE, and Mr. WYNN.

## MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 1998 (80)

### 180.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order at 10:30 o'clock a.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PETRI, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,

August 3, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable THOMAS E. PETRI to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

### 180.2 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment bills of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 643. An Act to designate the United States courthouse to be constructed at the corner of Superior and Huron Roads, in Cleveland, Ohio, as the "Carl B. Stokes United States Courthouse".

H.R. 3504. An Act to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and to further define the criteria for capital repair and operation and maintenance.

H.R. 4237. An Act to amend the District of Columbia Convention Center and Sports Arena Authorization Act of 1995 to revise the revenues and activities covered under such act, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed with an amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 3824. An Act amending the Fastener Quality Act to exempt from its coverage certain fasteners approved by the Federal Aviation Administration for use in aircraft.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed bills and joint resolutions of the following titles in which concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1325. An Act to authorize appropriations for the Technology Administration of the Department of Commerce for fiscal years 1998, 1999, and 2000, and for other purposes.

S. 1754. An Act to amend the Public Health Service Act to consolidate and reauthorize health professions and minority and disadvantaged health education programs, and for other purposes.

S. 1759. An Act to grant a Federal charter to the American GI Forum of the United States.

S. 1883. An Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Marion National Fish Hatchery and the Claude Harris National Aquacultural Research Center to the State of Alabama, and for other purposes.

S. 2375. An Act to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, to strengthen prohibitions on international bribery and other corrupt practices, and for other purposes.

S.J. Res. 35. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the Pacific Northwest Emergency Management Arrangement.

S.J. Res. 51. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the Potomac Highlands Airport Authority Compact entered into between the States of Maryland and West Virginia.

S.J. Res. 54. Joint resolution finding the Government of Iraq in unacceptable and material breach of its international obligations.

### 180.3 "MORNING-HOUR DEBATE"

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PETRI, pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, January 21, 1997, recognized Members for "morning-hour debate".

### 180.4 RECESS—10:53 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PETRI, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess until 12 o'clock noon.

### 180.5 AFTER RECESS—12 NOON

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, called the House to order.

### 180.6 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, July 31, 1998.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

### 180.7 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

10458. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Pesticide Reporting Requirements for Risk/Benefit Information [OPP-60010K; FRL-6016-2] (RIN: 2070-AB50) received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

10459. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the System's final rule—Truth in Savings [Regulation DD; Docket No. R-0869] received July 27, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10460. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—Membership Approval [No. 98-29] (RIN: 3069-AA67) received July 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10461. A letter from the AMD—Performance and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Johnstown and Altamont, New York) [MM Docket No. 98-31 RM-9227] received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10462. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration,

transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling; Petitions for Nutrient Content and Health Claims, General Provisions; Correction [Docket No. 98N-0274] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10463. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

10464. A letter from the Deputy Director, Russia-NIS Program Office, U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service, International Trade Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Cooperative Agreement Program For American Business Centers In Russia And The New Independent States [Docket No. 890716181-8181-01] received July 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

10465. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 12-417, "Temple Micah Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1998" received July 29, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10466. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of Transmittal of D.C. ACT 12-415, "Prince Hall Freemason and Eastern Star Charitable Foundation Real Property Tax Exemption and Equitable Real Property Tax Relief of 1998" received July 29, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10467. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-414, "American Legion, James Reese Europe Post No. 5 Real Property Tax Exemption and Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1998" received July 29, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10468. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 12-403, "Old Rock Creek Church Road Designation Act of 1998" received July 29, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10469. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 12-410, "Advisory Commission on Sentencing Establishment Act of 1998" received July 29, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10470. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 12-411, "Kenneth H. Nash Post #8 American Legion Real Property Tax Exemption and Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1998" received July 29, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10471. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 12-412, "Bethesda-Welch Post 7284, Veterans of Foreign Wars Real Property Tax Exemption and Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1998, and Tax Increment Financing Authorization and National Capital Revitalization Corporation Technical Amendments act of 1998," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10472. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 12-413, "Society of the Cincinnati Real Property Tax Exemption and Equitable Real Property Tax Relief Act of 1998" received July 29, 1998, pursuant to D.C.

Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10473. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Procurement List: Additions and Deletions—received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10474. A letter from the Administrator, Rural Utilities Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Policy on Audits of RUS Borrowers (RIN: 0572-AA93) received July 27, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10475. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Reform of Affirmative Action in Federal Procurement [FAC 97-06; FAR Case 97-004A] (RIN: 9000-AH59) received July 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10476. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Reform of Affirmative Action in Federal Procurement [FAC 97-07; FAR Case 97-004B] (RIN: 9000-AH59) received July 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10477. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation And Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—Kentucky Regulatory Program [SPATS No. KY-191-FOR] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10478. A letter from the Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Waiver of Inadmissibility for Certain Applicants for Admission as Permanent Residents [INS No. 1920-98] (RIN: 1115-AE47) received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

10479. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations for Marine Events; Prospect Bay, Maryland [CGD 05-98-063] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10480. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; SOCAT—Groupe AEROSPATIALE Models TB9 and TB10 Airplanes [Docket No. 95-CE-72-AD; Amendment 39-10677; AD 98-16-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10481. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Cessna Aircraft Company 180, 182, and 185 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-CE-14-AD; Amendment 39-10679; AD 98-16-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10482. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Bennington, VT [Airspace Docket No. 98-ANE-94] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10483. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Fitchburg, MA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ANE-93] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10484. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Newton, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-24] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10485. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; Lake Charles, LA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ASW-41] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10486. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class D Airspace; McKinney, TX [Airspace Docket No. 98-ASW-32] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10487. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class D and Class E Airspace; St. Joseph, MO [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-6] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10488. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—General Rule for Taxable Year of Deduction [Revenue Ruling 98-39] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10489. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting a report authorizing the transfer of up to \$100M in defense articles and services to the Government of Bosnia-Herzegovina, pursuant to Public Law 104-107, section 540(c) (110 Stat. 736); jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

## 180.8 VETERANS BENEFITS IMPROVEMENT

Mr. STUMP moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4110) to provide a cost-of-living adjustment in rates of compensation paid to veterans with service-connected disabilities, to make various improvements in education, housing, and cemetery programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. STUMP and Mr. EVANS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and

said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### 180.9 PERSIAN GULF WAR VETERANS HEALTHCARE AND RESEARCH

Mr. STUMP moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3980) to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend the authority for the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to treat illnesses of Persian Gulf War veterans, to provide authority to treat illnesses of veterans which may be attributable to future combat service, and to revise the process for determining priorities for research relative to the health consequences of service in the Persian Gulf War, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. STUMP and Mr. EVANS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### 180.10 ASSISTANT TO THE CHIEF JUSTICE TO ACCEPT VOLUNTARY SERVICES

Mr. COBLE moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill of the Senate (S. 2143) to amend chapter 45 of title 28, United States Code, to authorize the Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice to accept voluntary services, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. COBLE and Ms. LOFGREN, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

#### 180.11 AMERICAN GI FORUM FEDERAL CHARTER

Mr. SMITH of Texas moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill of the Senate (S. 1759) to grant a Federal charter to the American GI Forum of the United States.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. SMITH of Texas and Ms. LOFGREN, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

#### 180.12 PRIVATE TRUSTEE REFORM

Mr. GEKAS moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2592) to amend title 11 of the United States Code to provide private trustees the right to seek judicial review of United States trustee actions related to trustee expenses and trustee removal; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. GEKAS and Ms. LOFGREN, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read:

"An Act to amend title 28 of the United States Code to provide trustees the right to seek administrative and judicial review of the refusal of a United States trustee to assign, and of certain actions of a United States trustee relating to expenses claimed relating to, cases under title 11 of the United States Code."

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed and the title was amended was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### 180.13 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES TRAFFICKING PROHIBITION

Mr. SMITH of Texas moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R.

3633) to amend the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to place limitations on controlled substances brought into the United States from Mexico; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. SMITH of Texas and Ms. LOFGREN, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read: "An Act to amend the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to place limitations on controlled substances brought into the United States."

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed and the title was amended was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### 180.14 GEORGE H.W. BUSH CENTER FOR CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

Mr. GOSS moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3821) to designate the Headquarters Compound of the Central Intelligence Agency located in Langley, Virginia, as the George H.W. Bush Center for Central Intelligence.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. GOSS and Mr. SKELTON, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### 180.15 MEXICO'S ASSISTANCE WITH WILDFIRES

Mr. BEREUTER moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following resolution (H. Res. 469); as amended:

Whereas the United States has a Cooperative Fire Suppression Agreement with Canada to address the issue of fires occurring along the border between the two countries;

Whereas in the past fires starting in Mexico have grown out of control and have spread into the United States; and

Whereas both the United States Forest Service and the Mexican Forest Service have expressed an interest in having a cooperative fire suppression agreement between the United States and Mexico: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That it is the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should initiate negotiations with Mexico at the earliest date possible in order to come to a mutually beneficial agreement as soon as possible addressing the concerns of both countries in suppressing fires occurring along the border between the two countries.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. BEREUTER and Mr. HAMILTON, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said resolution, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read: "Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding a cooperative fire suppression agreement with Mexico."

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby the rules were suspended and said resolution, as amended, was agreed to and the title was amended was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

#### §80.16 SHACKLEFORD BANKS WILD HORSES PROTECTION

Mr. JONES moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 765) to ensure maintenance of a herd of wild horses in Cape Lookout National Seashore:

*Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:*

#### SECTION 1. MAINTENANCE OF WILD HORSES IN CAPE LOOKOUT NATIONAL SEASHORE.

Section 5 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of the Cape Lookout National Seashore in the State of North Carolina, and for other purposes", approved March 10, 1966 (Public Law 89-366; 16 U.S.C. 459g-4), is amended by inserting "(a)" after "Sec. 5.", and by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"(b)(1) The Secretary, in accordance with this subsection, shall allow a herd of 100 free roaming horses in Cape Lookout National Seashore (hereinafter referred to as the 'Seashore'): Provided, That nothing in this section shall be construed to preclude the Secretary from implementing or enforcing the provisions of paragraph (3).

"(2) Within 180 days after enactment of this subsection, the Secretary shall enter into an agreement with the Foundation for Shackelford Horses (a nonprofit corporation established under the laws of the State of North Carolina), or another qualified nonprofit entity, to provide for management of free roaming horses in the seashore. The agreement shall—

"(A) provide for cost-effective management of the horses while ensuring that natural resources within the seashore are not adversely impacted; and,

"(B) allow the authorized entity to adopt any of those horses that the Secretary removes from the seashore.

"(3) The Secretary shall not remove, assist in, or permit the removal of any free roaming horses from Federal lands within the boundaries of the seashore—

"(A) unless the entity with whom the Secretary has entered into the agreement under paragraph (2), following notice and a 90-day response period, fails to meet the terms and conditions of the agreement; or

"(B) unless the number of free roaming horses on Federal lands within Cape Lookout National Seashore exceeds 110; or

"(C) except in the case of an emergency, or to protect public health and safety.

"(4) The Secretary shall annually monitor, assess, and make available to the public findings regarding the population, structure, and health of the free roaming horses in the national seashore.

"(5) Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to require the Secretary to replace horses or otherwise increase the number of horses within the boundaries of the seashore where the herd numbers fall below 100 as a result of natural causes, including, but not limited to, disease or natural disasters.

"(6) Nothing in this subsection shall be construed as creating liability for the United States for any damages caused by the free roaming horses to property located inside or outside the boundaries of the seashore."

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. JONES and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said amendment?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said amendment was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said amendment of the Senate was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

#### §80.17 NATIONAL PARK SERVICE ADMINISTRATIVE AMENDMENT

Mr. JONES moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1728) to provide for the development of a plan and a management review of the National Park System and to reform the process by which areas are considered for addition to the National Park System, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. JONES and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof,

the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### §80.18 EXPANSION OF FORT DAVIS NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Mr. JONES moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3047) to authorize expansion of Fort Davis National Historic Site in Fort Davis, Texas, by 16 acres.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. JONES and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### §80.19 CONVEYANCE OF PARCELS OF LAND IN THE CARSON NATIONAL FOREST

Mr. JONES moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 434) to provide for the conveyance of small parcels of land in the Carson National Forest and the Santa Fe National Forest, New Mexico, to the village of El Rito and the town of Jemez Springs, New Mexico:

*Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:*

#### SECTION 1. LAND CONVEYANCE, SANTA FE NATIONAL FOREST, NEW MEXICO.

(a) CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY.—Within 60 days of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture (herein "the Secretary") shall convey to the town of Jemez Springs, New Mexico, subject to the terms and conditions under subsection (c), all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to a parcel of real property (including any improvements on the land) consisting of approximately one acre located in the Santa Fe National Forest in Sandoval County, New Mexico.

(b) DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.—The exact acreage and legal description of the real property conveyed under subsection (a) shall be determined by a survey satisfactory to the Secretary. The cost of the survey shall be borne by the town of Jemez Springs.

(c) TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—

(1) Notwithstanding exceptions of application under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act (43 U.S.C. 869(c)), consideration for the conveyance described in subsection (a) shall be—

(A) an amount that is consistent with the Bureau of Land Management special pricing program for Governmental entities under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act; and,

(B) an agreement between the Secretary and the town of Jemez Springs indemnifying the Government of the United States from all liability of the Government that arises from the property.

(2) The lands conveyed by this Act shall be used for the purposes of construction and operation of a fire substation. If such lands cease to be used for such purposes, at the option of the United States, such lands will revert to the United States.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. JONES and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said amendment?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said amendment was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said amendment of the Senate was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

#### ¶180.20 U.S. AND THE REPUBLIC OF LATVIA FISHERY AGREEMENT

Mr. SAXTON moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3460) to approve a governing international fishery agreement between the United States and the Republic of Latvia, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr. SAXTON and Mr. FARR, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### ¶180.21 IRAN NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION PREVENTION

Mr. GILMAN moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3743) to withhold voluntary proportional assistance for programs and projects of the International Atomic Energy Agency relating to the development and completion of the Bushehr nuclear power plant in Iran, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, recognized Mr.

GILMAN and Mr. HAMILTON, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. MENENDEZ demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

#### ¶180.22 IRAQ OBLIGATIONS BREACH

Mr. GILMAN moved to suspend the rules and pass the joint resolution of the Senate (S.J. Res. 54) finding the Government of Iraq in unacceptable and material breach of its international obligations.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, recognized Mr. GILMAN and Mr. HAMILTON, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said joint resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. GILMAN demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

#### ¶180.23 EMERGENCY FARM FINANCIAL RELIEF

Mr. SMITH of Oregon moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill of the Senate (S. 2344) to amend the Agricultural Market Transition Act to provide for the advance payment, in full, of the fiscal year 1999 payments otherwise required under production flexibility contracts.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, recognized Mr. SMITH of Oregon and Mr. MINGE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

#### ¶180.24 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. Sherman Williams, one of his secretaries.

#### ¶180.25 HEALTH PROFESSIONAL SHORTAGE RELIEF

Mr. SMITH of Texas moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2759) to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the requirements for the admission of non-immigrant nurses who will practice in health professional shortage areas; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, recognized Mr. SMITH of Texas and Ms. LOFGREN, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

#### ¶180.26 CORRECTIONS OFFICERS HEALTH AND SAFETY

Mr. HYDE moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2070) to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for the mandatory testing for serious transmissible diseases of incarcerated persons whose bodily fluids come into contact with corrections personnel and notice to those personnel of the results of the tests, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, recognized Mr. HYDE and Ms. LOFGREN, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read:

"An Act to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for the testing of certain persons who are incarcerated or ordered detained before trial, for the presence of the human immunodeficiency virus, and for other purposes."

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby the rules were suspended and

said bill, as amended, was passed and the title was amended was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

180.27 RECESS—4:36 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 4 o'clock and 36 minutes p.m., until approximately 5:15 p.m.

180.28 AFTER RECESS—5:20 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. MORELLA, called the House to order.

180.29 DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 1999

Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 105-670) on the bill (H.R. 4380) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said bill and report were referred to the Union Calendar and ordered printed.

Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XXI, all points of order were reserved.

180.30 ORDER OF BUSINESS—TIME  
LIMITATION ON AMENDMENT  
NUMBERED 2—H.R. 2183

On motion of Mr. THOMAS, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That, during the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2183) to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office, and for other purposes, in the Committee of the Whole pursuant to House Resolution 442 and the order of the House of July 17, 1998, the amendment in the nature of a substitute by Mr. Shays be debatable for not to exceed 40 minutes to be equally divided and controlled by Mr. Shays and Mr. Thomas.

180.31 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—  
ARAB LEAGUE BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. MORELLA, laid before the House a message from the President, which was read as follows:

*To the Congress of the United States:*

In accordance with the request contained in section 540 of Public Law 105-118, Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1998, I submit to you the attached report providing information on steps taken by the United States Government to bring about an end to the Arab league boycott of Israel and to expand the process of normalizing ties between Israel and the Arab league countries.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, July 30, 1998.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on

Appropriations and the Committee on International Relations, and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 105-295).

180.32 BIPARTISAN CAMPAIGN INTEGRITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. MORELLA, pursuant to House Resolution 442 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2183) to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office, and for other purposes.

Mrs. EMERSON, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, resumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, assumed the Chair.

When Mrs. EMERSON, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

180.33 H.R. 3743—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3743) to withhold voluntary proportional assistance for programs and projects of the International Atomic Energy Agency relating to the development and completion of the Bushehr nuclear power plant in Iran, and for other purposes; as amended.

The question being put,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas ..... 405  
affirmative ..... Nays ..... 13

180.34 [Roll No. 377]  
YEAS—405

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Aderholt  
Allen  
Andrews  
Archer  
Armey  
Bachus  
Baesler  
Baker  
Baldacci  
Ballenger  
Barcia  
Barr  
Barrett (NE)  
Barrett (WI)  
Bartlett  
Barton  
Bass  
Bateman  
Becerra  
Bentsen  
Bereuter  
Berman  
Berry  
Bilbray  
Bilirakis  
Bishop  
Blagojevich  
Bliley  
Blumenauer  
Blunt  
Boehlert  
Boehner  
Bonilla  
Bonior

Bono  
Borski  
Boswell  
Boucher  
Boyd  
Brady (PA)  
Brady (TX)  
Brown (CA)  
Brown (FL)  
Brown (OH)  
Bryant  
Bunning  
Burr  
Burton  
Buyer  
Callahan  
Calvert  
Camp  
Campbell  
Canady  
Cannon  
Capps  
Cardin  
Carson  
Castle  
Chabot  
Chambliss  
Chenoweth  
Clay  
Clement  
Clyburn  
Coble  
Coburn  
Collins  
Combest  
Condit

Cook  
Cooksey  
Costello  
Cox  
Coyne  
Cramer  
Crane  
Crapo  
Cubin  
Cummings  
Cunningham  
Danner  
Davis (FL)  
Davis (IL)  
Davis (VA)  
Deal  
DeFazio  
DeGette  
DeLauro  
DeLay  
Deutsch  
Diaz-Balart  
Dickey  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Dixon  
Doggett  
Doolittle  
Doyle  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Dunn  
Edwards  
Ehlers  
Ehrlich

Emerson  
Engel  
English  
Ensign  
Eshoo  
Etheridge  
Evans  
Everett  
Ewing  
Farr  
Fattah  
Fawell  
Fazio  
Filner  
Foley  
Forbes  
Ford  
Fossella  
Fowler  
Fox  
Frank (MA)  
Franks (NJ)  
Frelinghuysen  
Frost  
Gallegly  
Ganske  
Gekas  
Gephardt  
Gibbons  
Gilchrest  
Gillmor  
Gilman  
Goode  
Goodlatte  
Goodling  
Gordon  
Goss  
Graham  
Granger  
Green  
Greenwood  
Gutierrez  
Gutknecht  
Hall (OH)  
Hall (TX)  
Hansen  
Harman  
Hastert  
Hastings (FL)  
Hastings (WA)  
Hayworth  
Hefley  
Hefner  
Herger  
Hill  
Hilleary  
Hinchey  
Hinojosa  
Hobson  
Hoekstra  
Holden  
Hooley  
Horn  
Hostettler  
Houghton  
Hoyer  
Hulshof  
Hunter  
Hutchinson  
Hyde  
Inglis  
Jackson (IL)  
Jackson-Lee  
(TX)  
Jefferson  
Jenkins  
John  
Johnson (CT)  
Johnson (WI)  
Johnson, E. B.  
Johnson, Sam  
Jones  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kasich  
Kelly  
Kennedy (MA)  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kennelly  
Kildee  
Kim  
Kind (WI)  
King (NY)  
Kingston  
Klecza  
Klug  
Knollenberg  
Kolbe  
Kucinich  
LaHood

Lampson  
Lantos  
Largent  
Latham  
LaTourette  
Lazio  
Leach  
Lee  
Levin  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (GA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Linder  
Lipinski  
Livingston  
LoBiondo  
Lofgren  
Lowey  
Lucas  
Luther  
Maloney (CT)  
Maloney (NY)  
Manton  
Manzullo  
Markey  
Mascara  
Matsui  
McCarthy (MO)  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCollum  
McCrery  
McGovern  
McHale  
McHugh  
McInnis  
McIntosh  
McIntyre  
McKeon  
McKinney  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek (FL)  
Meeks (NY)  
Menendez  
Metcalfe  
Mica  
Millender-  
McDonald  
Miller (CA)  
Miller (FL)  
Minge  
Mink  
Moakley  
Mollohan  
Moran (KS)  
Morella  
Murtha  
Myrick  
Nadler  
Neal  
Nethercutt  
Neumann  
Ney  
Northup  
Norwood  
Nussle  
Owens  
Oxley  
Packard  
Pallone  
Pappas  
Parker  
Pascrell  
Pastor  
Paul  
Payne  
Pease  
Pelosi  
Peterson (MN)  
Peterson (PA)  
Petri  
Pickering  
Pickett  
Pitts  
Pombo  
Porter  
Portman  
Price (NC)  
Pryce (OH)  
Quinn  
Radanovich  
Ramstad  
Rangel  
Redmond  
Regula  
Reyes  
Riggs  
Riley  
Rivers

Rodriguez  
Roemer  
Rogan  
Rogers  
Rohrabacher  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Rothman  
Roukema  
Roybal-Allard  
Royce  
Rush  
Ryun  
Sabo  
Salmon  
Sanchez  
Sanders  
Sandlin  
Sanford  
Saxton  
Scarborough  
Schaefer, Dan  
Schaffer, Bob  
Schumer  
Scott  
Sensenbrenner  
Serrano  
Sessions  
Shadegg  
Shaw  
Shays  
Sherman  
Shimkus  
Shuster  
Sisisky  
Skeen  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (MI)  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (OR)  
Smith (TX)  
Smith, Adam  
Smith, Linda  
Snowbarger  
Snyder  
Solomon  
Souder  
Spence  
Spratt  
Stabenow  
Stark  
Stearns  
Stenholm  
Strickland  
Stump  
Stupak  
Sununu  
Talent  
Tanner  
Tauscher  
Tauzin  
Taylor (MS)  
Taylor (NC)  
Thomas  
Thompson  
Thornberry  
Thune  
Thurman  
Tiahrt  
Tierney  
Traficant  
Turner  
Upton  
Velazquez  
Vento  
Visclosky  
Walsh  
Wamp  
Waters  
Watkins  
Watt (NC)  
Watts (OK)  
Waxman  
Weldon (FL)  
Weldon (PA)  
Weller  
Wexler  
Weygand  
White  
Whitfield  
Wicker  
Wilson  
Wise  
Wolf  
Woolsey  
Wynn  
Yates  
Young (AK)  
Young (FL)

## NAYS—13

Dooley	LaFalce	Sawyer
Furse	McDermott	Skaggs
Gejdenson	Moran (VA)	Torres
Hamilton	Obey	
Klink	Rahall	

## NOT VOTING—16

Christensen	Kilpatrick	Pomeroy
Clayton	Martinez	Poshard
Conyers	McDade	Stokes
Gonzalez	Oberstar	Towns
Hilliard	Olver	
Istook	Ortiz	

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered.* That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶80.35 H.J. RES. 54—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the further unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the joint resolution of the Senate (S.J. Res. 54) finding the Government of Iraq in unacceptable and material breach of its international obligations.

The question being put,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said joint resolution?

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas ..... 407  
affirmative ..... Nays ..... 6

¶80.36 [Roll No. 378]  
YEAS—407

Abercrombie	Brown (FL)	Davis (VA)
Ackerman	Brown (OH)	Deal
Aderholt	Bryant	DeFazio
Allen	Bunning	DeGette
Andrews	Burr	Delahunt
Archer	Burton	DeLauro
Armey	Buyer	DeLay
Bachus	Callahan	Deutsch
Baesler	Calvert	Diaz-Balart
Baker	Camp	Dickey
Baldacci	Campbell	Dicks
Ballenger	Canady	Dingell
Barcia	Cannon	Dixon
Barr	Capps	Doggett
Barrett (NE)	Cardin	Dooley
Barrett (WI)	Carson	Doolittle
Bartlett	Castle	Doyle
Barton	Chabot	Dreier
Bass	Chambliss	Duncan
Bateman	Chenoweth	Dunn
Becerra	Clay	Edwards
Bentsen	Clayton	Ehlers
Bereuter	Clement	Ehrlich
Berman	Clyburn	Emerson
Berry	Coble	Engel
Bilbray	Coburn	English
Bilirakis	Collins	Ensign
Bishop	Combest	Eshoo
Blagojevich	Condit	Etheridge
Bliley	Cook	Evans
Blumenauer	Cooksey	Everett
Blunt	Costello	Ewing
Boehlert	Cox	Farr
Boehner	Coyne	Fattah
Bonilla	Cramer	Fawell
Bono	Crane	Fazio
Borski	Crapo	Filner
Boswell	Cubin	Foley
Boucher	Cummings	Forbes
Boyd	Cunningham	Ford
Brady (PA)	Danner	Fossella
Brady (TX)	Davis (FL)	Fowler
Brown (CA)	Davis (IL)	Fox

Frank (MA)	Lipinski	Royce
Franks (NJ)	Livingston	Rush
Frelinghuysen	LoBiondo	Ryun
Frost	Lofgren	Sabo
Furse	Lowe	Salmon
Gallegly	Lucas	Sanchez
Ganske	Luther	Sanders
Gejdenson	Maloney (CT)	Sandlin
Gekas	Maloney (NY)	Sanford
Gephardt	Manton	Sawyer
Gibbons	Manzullo	Saxton
Gilchrest	Markey	Scarborough
Gillmor	Mascara	Schaefer, Dan
Gilman	Matsui	Schaffer, Bob
Goode	McCarthy (MO)	Schumer
Goodlatte	McCollum	Scott
Goodling	McCrery	Sensenbrenner
Gordon	McDermott	Serrano
Goss	McGovern	Sessions
Graham	McHale	Shadegg
Granger	McHugh	Shaw
Green	McInnis	Shays
Greenwood	McIntosh	Sherman
Gutknecht	McIntyre	Shimkus
Hall (OH)	McKeon	Shuster
Hall (TX)	McNulty	Sisisky
Hamilton	Meehan	Skaggs
Hansen	Meek (FL)	Skeen
Harman	Meeks (NY)	Skelton
Hastert	Menendez	Slaughter
Hastings (FL)	Metcalfe	Smith (MI)
Hastings (WA)	Mica	Smith (NJ)
Hayworth	Millender-McDonald	Smith (OR)
Hefley	Miller (CA)	Smith (TX)
Hefner	Miller (FL)	Smith, Adam
Herger	Minge	Smith, Linda
Hill	Mink	Snowbarger
Hilleary	Moakley	Snyder
Hinchey	Mollohan	Solomon
Hinojosa	Moran (KS)	Souder
Hobson	Morella	Spence
Hoekstra	Murtha	Spratt
Holden	Myrick	Stabenow
Hooley	Nadler	Stark
Horn	Neal	Stearns
Hostettler	Nethercutt	Stenholm
Houghton	Neumann	Stokes
Hoyer	Ney	Strickland
Hulshof	Norwood	Stump
Hunter	Nussle	Stupak
Hyde	Obey	Sununu
Inglis	Owens	Talent
Jackson-Lee	Oxley	Tanner
(TX)	Packard	Tauscher
Jefferson	Pallone	Tauzin
Jenkins	Pappas	Taylor (MS)
John	Parker	Taylor (NC)
Johnson (CT)	Pascarella	Thomas
Johnson (WI)	Pastor	Thompson
Johnson, E.B.	Paxon	Thornberry
Johnson, Sam	Payne	Thune
Jones	Pease	Thurman
Kanjorski	Pelosi	Tiahrt
Kaptur	Peterson (MN)	Tierney
Kasich	Peterson (PA)	Torres
Kelly	Petri	Trafficant
Kennedy (MA)	Pickering	Turner
Kennedy (RI)	Pickett	Upton
Kennelly	Pitts	Velazquez
Kildee	Pombo	Vento
Kim	Porter	Visclosky
Kind (WI)	Portman	Walsh
King (NY)	Price (NC)	Watkins
Kingston	Pryce (OH)	Watt (NC)
Klecza	Quinn	Watts (OK)
Klink	Radanovich	Waxman
Klug	Rahall	Weldon (FL)
Knollenberg	Ramstad	Weldon (PA)
Kolbe	Rangel	Weller
Kucinich	Redmond	Wexler
LaFalce	Regula	Weygand
LaHood	Reyes	White
Lampson	Riggs	Whitfield
Lantos	Riley	Wicker
Largent	Rivers	Wilson
Latham	Rodriguez	Wise
LaTourette	Roemer	Wolf
Lazio	Rogan	Woolsey
Leach	Rohrabacher	Wynn
Levin	Ros-Lehtinen	Yates
Lewis (CA)	Rothman	Young (AK)
Lewis (GA)	Roukema	Young (FL)
Lewis (KY)	Roybal-Allard	
Linder		

## NAYS—6

Bonior	Lee	Paul
Jackson (IL)	McKinney	Waters

## NOT VOTING—21

Christensen	Kilpatrick	Olver
Conyers	Martinez	Ortiz
Gonzalez	McCarthy (NY)	Pomeroy
Gutierrez	McDade	Poshard
Hilliard	Moran (VA)	Rogers
Hutchinson	Northup	Towns
Istook	Oberstar	Wamp

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said joint resolution was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said joint resolution was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered.* That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶80.37 BIPARTISAN CAMPAIGN INTEGRITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to House Resolution 442 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2183) to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office, and for other purposes.

Mrs. EMERSON, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, resumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,

¶80.38 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended, submitted by Mr. SHAYS:

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

(a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the "Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act of 1998".

(b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents of this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.

TITLE I—REDUCTION OF SPECIAL INTEREST INFLUENCE

Sec. 101. Soft money of political parties.

Sec. 102. Increased contribution limits for State committees of political parties and aggregate contribution limit for individuals.

Sec. 103. Reporting requirements.

TITLE II—INDEPENDENT AND COORDINATED EXPENDITURES

Sec. 201. Definitions.

Sec. 202. Civil penalty.

Sec. 203. Reporting requirements for certain independent expenditures.

Sec. 204. Independent versus coordinated expenditures by party.

Sec. 205. Coordination with candidates.

TITLE III—DISCLOSURE

Sec. 301. Filing of reports using computers and facsimile machines.

Sec. 302. Prohibition of deposit of contributions with incomplete contributor information.

Sec. 303. Audits.

Sec. 304. Reporting requirements for contributions of \$50 or more.

Sec. 305. Use of candidates' names.

Sec. 306. Prohibition of false representation to solicit contributions.

Sec. 307. Soft money of persons other than political parties.

Sec. 308. Campaign advertising.



## TITLE IV—PERSONAL WEALTH OPTION

Sec. 401. Voluntary personal funds expenditure limit.

Sec. 402. Political party committee coordinated expenditures.

## TITLE V—MISCELLANEOUS

Sec. 501. Codification of Beck decision.

Sec. 502. Use of contributed amounts for certain purposes.

Sec. 503. Limit on congressional use of the franking privilege.

Sec. 504. Prohibition of fundraising on Federal property.

Sec. 505. Penalties for knowing and willful violations.

Sec. 506. Strengthening foreign money ban.

Sec. 507. Prohibition of contributions by minors.

Sec. 508. Expedited procedures.

Sec. 509. Initiation of enforcement proceeding.

## TITLE VI—SEVERABILITY; CONSTITUTIONALITY; EFFECTIVE DATE; REGULATIONS

Sec. 601. Severability.

Sec. 602. Review of constitutional issues.

Sec. 603. Effective date.

Sec. 604. Regulations.

## TITLE I—REDUCTION OF SPECIAL INTEREST INFLUENCE

## SEC. 101. SOFT MONEY OF POLITICAL PARTIES.

Title III of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following:

## “SEC. 323. SOFT MONEY OF POLITICAL PARTIES.

“(a) NATIONAL COMMITTEES.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—A national committee of a political party (including a national congressional campaign committee of a political party) and any officers or agents of such party committees, shall not solicit, receive, or direct to another person a contribution, donation, or transfer of funds, or spend any funds, that are not subject to the limitations, prohibitions, and reporting requirements of this Act.

“(2) APPLICABILITY.—This subsection shall apply to an entity that is directly or indirectly established, financed, maintained, or controlled by a national committee of a political party (including a national congressional campaign committee of a political party), or an entity acting on behalf of a national committee, and an officer or agent acting on behalf of any such committee or entity.

“(b) STATE, DISTRICT, AND LOCAL COMMITTEES.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—An amount that is expended or disbursed by a State, district, or local committee of a political party (including an entity that is directly or indirectly established, financed, maintained, or controlled by a State, district, or local committee of a political party and an officer or agent acting on behalf of such committee or entity) for Federal election activity shall be made from funds subject to the limitations, prohibitions, and reporting requirements of this Act.

“(2) FEDERAL ELECTION ACTIVITY.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—The term ‘Federal election activity’ means—

“(i) voter registration activity during the period that begins on the date that is 120 days before the date a regularly scheduled Federal election is held and ends on the date of the election;

“(ii) voter identification, get-out-the-vote activity, or generic campaign activity conducted in connection with an election in which a candidate for Federal office appears on the ballot (regardless of whether a candidate for State or local office also appears on the ballot); and

“(iii) a communication that refers to a clearly identified candidate for Federal of-

fice (regardless of whether a candidate for State or local office is also mentioned or identified) and is made for the purpose of influencing a Federal election (regardless of whether the communication is express advocacy).

“(B) EXCLUDED ACTIVITY.—The term ‘Federal election activity’ does not include an amount expended or disbursed by a State, district, or local committee of a political party for—

“(i) campaign activity conducted solely on behalf of a clearly identified candidate for State or local office, provided the campaign activity is not a Federal election activity described in subparagraph (A);

“(ii) a contribution to a candidate for State or local office, provided the contribution is not designated or used to pay for a Federal election activity described in subparagraph (A);

“(iii) the costs of a State, district, or local political convention;

“(iv) the costs of grassroots campaign materials, including buttons, bumper stickers, and yard signs, that name or depict only a candidate for State or local office;

“(v) the non-Federal share of a State, district, or local party committee’s administrative and overhead expenses (but not including the compensation in any month of an individual who spends more than 20 percent of the individual’s time on Federal election activity) as determined by a regulation promulgated by the Commission to determine the non-Federal share of a State, district, or local party committee’s administrative and overhead expenses; and

“(vi) the cost of constructing or purchasing an office facility or equipment for a State, district or local committee.

“(c) FUNDRAISING COSTS.—An amount spent by a national, State, district, or local committee of a political party, by an entity that is established, financed, maintained, or controlled by a national, State, district, or local committee of a political party, or by an agent or officer of any such committee or entity, to raise funds that are used, in whole or in part, to pay the costs of a Federal election activity shall be made from funds subject to the limitations, prohibitions, and reporting requirements of this Act.

“(d) TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS.—A national, State, district, or local committee of a political party (including a national congressional campaign committee of a political party, an entity that is directly or indirectly established, financed, maintained, or controlled by any such national, State, district, or local committee or its agent, an agent acting on behalf of any such party committee, and an officer or agent acting on behalf of any such party committee or entity), shall not solicit any funds for, or make or direct any donations to, an organization that is described in section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from taxation under section 501(a) of such Code (or has submitted an application to the Commissioner of the Internal Revenue Service for determination of tax-exemption under such section).

“(e) CANDIDATES.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—A candidate, individual holding Federal office, or agent of a candidate or individual holding Federal office shall not solicit, receive, direct, transfer, or spend funds for a Federal election activity on behalf of such candidate, individual, agent or any other person, unless the funds are subject to the limitations, prohibitions, and reporting requirements of this Act.

“(2) STATE LAW.—Paragraph (1) does not apply to the solicitation or receipt of funds by an individual who is a candidate for a State or local office if the solicitation or receipt of funds is permitted under State law

for any activity other than a Federal election activity.

“(3) FUNDRAISING EVENTS.—Paragraph (1) does not apply in the case of a candidate who attends, speaks, or is a featured guest at a fundraising event sponsored by a State, district, or local committee of a political party.”.

## SEC. 102. INCREASED CONTRIBUTION LIMITS FOR STATE COMMITTEES OF POLITICAL PARTIES AND AGGREGATE CONTRIBUTION LIMIT FOR INDIVIDUALS.

(a) CONTRIBUTION LIMIT FOR STATE COMMITTEES OF POLITICAL PARTIES.—Section 315(a)(1) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441a(a)(1)) is amended—

(1) in subparagraph (B), by striking “or” at the end;

(2) in subparagraph (C)—

(A) by inserting “(other than a committee described in subparagraph (D))” after “committee”; and

(B) by striking the period at the end and inserting “; or”; and

(3) by adding at the end the following:

“(D) to a political committee established and maintained by a State committee of a political party in any calendar year that, in the aggregate, exceed \$10,000”.

(b) AGGREGATE CONTRIBUTION LIMIT FOR INDIVIDUAL.—Section 315(a)(3) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441a(a)(3)) is amended by striking “\$25,000” and inserting “\$30,000”.

## SEC. 103. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

(a) REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.—Section 304 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 434) (as amended by section 203) is amended by inserting after subsection (d) the following:

“(e) POLITICAL COMMITTEES.—

“(1) NATIONAL AND CONGRESSIONAL POLITICAL COMMITTEES.—The national committee of a political party, any national congressional campaign committee of a political party, and any subordinate committee of either, shall report all receipts and disbursements during the reporting period.

“(2) OTHER POLITICAL COMMITTEES TO WHICH SECTION 323 APPLIES.—A political committee (not described in paragraph (1)) to which section 323(b)(1) applies shall report all receipts and disbursements made for activities described in paragraphs (2)(A) and (3)(B)(v) of section 323(b).

“(3) ITEMIZATION.—If a political committee has receipts or disbursements to which this subsection applies from any person aggregating in excess of \$200 for any calendar year, the political committee shall separately itemize its reporting for such person in the same manner as required in paragraphs (3)(A), (5), and (6) of subsection (b).

“(4) REPORTING PERIODS.—Reports required to be filed under this subsection shall be filed for the same time periods required for political committees under subsection (a).”.

(b) BUILDING FUND EXCEPTION TO THE DEFINITION OF CONTRIBUTION.—Section 301(8)(B) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431(8)(B)) is amended—

(1) by striking clause (viii); and

(2) by redesignating clauses (ix) through (xiv) as clauses (viii) through (xiii), respectively.

## TITLE II—INDEPENDENT AND COORDINATED EXPENDITURES

## SEC. 201. DEFINITIONS.

(a) DEFINITION OF INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE.—Section 301 of the Federal Election Campaign Act (2 U.S.C. 431) is amended by striking paragraph (17) and inserting the following:

“(17) INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—The term ‘independent expenditure’ means an expenditure by a person—

“(i) for a communication that is express advocacy; and



"(ii) that is not provided in coordination with a candidate or a candidate's agent or a person who is coordinating with a candidate or a candidate's agent."

(b) **DEFINITION OF EXPRESS ADVOCACY.**—Section 301 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(20) **EXPRESS ADVOCACY.**—

"(A) **IN GENERAL.**—The term 'express advocacy' means a communication that advocates the election or defeat of a candidate by—

"(i) containing a phrase such as 'vote for', 're-elect', 'support', 'cast your ballot for', '(name of candidate) for Congress', '(name of candidate) in 1997', 'vote against', 'defeat', 'reject', or a campaign slogan or words that in context can have no reasonable meaning other than to advocate the election or defeat of 1 or more clearly identified candidates;

"(ii) referring to 1 or more clearly identified candidates in a paid advertisement that is transmitted through radio or television within 60 calendar days preceding the date of an election of the candidate and that appears in the State in which the election is occurring, except that with respect to a candidate for the office of Vice President or President, the time period is within 60 calendar days preceding the date of a general election; or

"(iii) expressing unmistakable and unambiguous support for or opposition to 1 or more clearly identified candidates when taken as a whole and with limited reference to external events, such as proximity to an election.

"(B) **VOTING RECORD AND VOTING GUIDE EXCEPTION.**—The term 'express advocacy' does not include a printed communication that—

"(i) presents information in an educational manner solely about the voting record or position on a campaign issue of 2 or more candidates;

"(ii) that is not made in coordination with a candidate, political party, or agent of the candidate or party; or a candidate's agent or a person who is coordinating with a candidate or a candidate's agent;

"(iii) does not contain a phrase such as 'vote for', 're-elect', 'support', 'cast your ballot for', '(name of candidate) for Congress', '(name of candidate) in 1997', 'vote against', 'defeat', or 'reject', or a campaign slogan or words that in context can have no reasonable meaning other than to urge the election or defeat of 1 or more clearly identified candidates."

(c) **DEFINITION OF EXPENDITURE.**—Section 301(9)(A) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431(9)(A)) is amended—

(1) in clause (i), by striking "and" at the end;

(2) in clause (ii), by striking the period at the end and inserting "; and"; and

(3) by adding at the end the following:

"(iii) a payment for a communication that is express advocacy; and

"(iv) a payment made by a person for a communication that—

"(I) refers to a clearly identified candidate;

"(II) is provided in coordination with the candidate, the candidate's agent, or the political party of the candidate; and

"(III) is for the purpose of influencing a Federal election (regardless of whether the communication is express advocacy)."

#### **SEC. 202. CIVIL PENALTY.**

Section 309 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g) is amended—

(1) in subsection (a)—

(A) in paragraph (4)(A)—

(i) in clause (i), by striking "clause (ii)" and inserting "clauses (ii) and (iii)"; and

(ii) by adding at the end the following:

"(iii) If the Commission determines by an affirmative vote of 4 of its members that there is probable cause to believe that a per-

son has made a knowing and willful violation of section 304(c), the Commission shall not enter into a conciliation agreement under this paragraph and may institute a civil action for relief under paragraph (6)(A)."; and

(B) in paragraph (6)(B), by inserting "(except an action instituted in connection with a knowing and willful violation of section 304(c))" after "subparagraph (A)"; and

(2) in subsection (d)(1)—

(A) in subparagraph (A), by striking "Any person" and inserting "Except as provided in subparagraph (D), any person"; and

(B) by adding at the end the following:

"(D) In the case of a knowing and willful violation of section 304(c) that involves the reporting of an independent expenditure, the violation shall not be subject to this subsection."

#### **SEC. 203. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES.**

Section 304 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 434) is amended—

(1) in subsection (c)(2), by striking the undesignated matter after subparagraph (C);

(2) by redesignating paragraph (3) of subsection (c) as subsection (f); and

(3) by inserting after subsection (c)(2) (as amended by paragraph (1)) the following:

"(d) **TIME FOR REPORTING CERTAIN EXPENDITURES.**—

"(1) **EXPENDITURES AGGREGATING \$1,000.**—

"(A) **INITIAL REPORT.**—A person (including a political committee) that makes or contracts to make independent expenditures aggregating \$1,000 or more after the 20th day, but more than 24 hours, before the date of an election shall file a report describing the expenditures within 24 hours after that amount of independent expenditures has been made.

"(B) **ADDITIONAL REPORTS.**—After a person files a report under subparagraph (A), the person shall file an additional report within 24 hours after each time the person makes or contracts to make independent expenditures aggregating an additional \$1,000 with respect to the same election as that to which the initial report relates.

"(2) **EXPENDITURES AGGREGATING \$10,000.**—

"(A) **INITIAL REPORT.**—A person (including a political committee) that makes or contracts to make independent expenditures aggregating \$10,000 or more at any time up to and including the 20th day before the date of an election shall file a report describing the expenditures within 48 hours after that amount of independent expenditures has been made.

"(B) **ADDITIONAL REPORTS.**—After a person files a report under subparagraph (A), the person shall file an additional report within 48 hours after each time the person makes or contracts to make independent expenditures aggregating an additional \$10,000 with respect to the same election as that to which the initial report relates.

"(3) **PLACE OF FILING; CONTENTS.**—A report under this subsection—

"(A) shall be filed with the Commission; and

"(B) shall contain the information required by subsection (b)(6)(B)(iii), including the name of each candidate whom an expenditure is intended to support or oppose."

#### **SEC. 204. INDEPENDENT VERSUS COORDINATED EXPENDITURES BY PARTY.**

Section 315(d) of the Federal Election Campaign Act (2 U.S.C. 441a(d)) is amended—

(1) in paragraph (1), by striking "and (3)" and inserting ", (3), and (4)"; and

(2) by adding at the end the following:

"(4) **INDEPENDENT VERSUS COORDINATED EXPENDITURES BY PARTY.**—

"(A) **IN GENERAL.**—On or after the date on which a political party nominates a candidate, a committee of the political party shall not make both expenditures under this subsection and independent expenditures (as

defined in section 301(17)) with respect to the candidate during the election cycle.

"(B) **CERTIFICATION.**—Before making a coordinated expenditure under this subsection with respect to a candidate, a committee of a political party shall file with the Commission a certification, signed by the treasurer of the committee, that the committee has not and shall not make any independent expenditure with respect to the candidate during the same election cycle.

"(C) **APPLICATION.**—For the purposes of this paragraph, all political committees established and maintained by a national political party (including all congressional campaign committees) and all political committees established and maintained by a State political party (including any subordinate committee of a State committee) shall be considered to be a single political committee.

"(D) **TRANSFERS.**—A committee of a political party that submits a certification under subparagraph (B) with respect to a candidate shall not, during an election cycle, transfer any funds to, assign authority to make coordinated expenditures under this subsection to, or receive a transfer of funds from, a committee of the political party that has made or intends to make an independent expenditure with respect to the candidate."

#### **SEC. 205. COORDINATION WITH CANDIDATES.**

(a) **DEFINITION OF COORDINATION WITH CANDIDATES.**—

(1) **SECTION 301(8).**—Section 301(8) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431(8)) is amended—

(A) in subparagraph (A)—

(i) by striking "or" at the end of clause (i);

(ii) by striking the period at the end of clause (ii) and inserting "; or"; and

(iii) by adding at the end the following:

"(iii) anything of value provided by a person in coordination with a candidate for the purpose of influencing a Federal election, regardless of whether the value being provided is a communication that is express advocacy, in which such candidate seeks nomination or election to Federal office."; and

(B) by adding at the end the following:

"(C) The term 'provided in coordination with a candidate' includes—

"(i) a payment made by a person in cooperation, consultation, or concert with, at the request or suggestion of, or pursuant to any general or particular understanding with a candidate, the candidate's authorized committee, or an agent acting on behalf of a candidate or authorized committee;

"(ii) a payment made by a person for the production, dissemination, distribution, or republication, in whole or in part, of any broadcast or any written, graphic, or other form of campaign material prepared by a candidate, a candidate's authorized committee, or an agent of a candidate or authorized committee (not including a communication described in paragraph (9)(B)(i) or a communication that expressly advocates the candidate's defeat);

"(iii) a payment made by a person based on information about a candidate's plans, projects, or needs provided to the person making the payment by the candidate or the candidate's agent who provides the information with the intent that the payment be made;

"(iv) a payment made by a person if, in the same election cycle in which the payment is made, the person making the payment is serving or has served as a member, employee, fundraiser, or agent of the candidate's authorized committee in an executive or policymaking position;

"(v) a payment made by a person if the person making the payment has served in any formal policy making or advisory position with the candidate's campaign or has

participated in formal strategic or formal policymaking discussions with the candidate's campaign relating to the candidate's pursuit of nomination for election, or election, to Federal office, in the same election cycle as the election cycle in which the payment is made;

"(vi) a payment made by a person if, in the same election cycle, the person making the payment retains the professional services of any person that has provided or is providing campaign-related services in the same election cycle to a candidate in connection with the candidate's pursuit of nomination for election, or election, to Federal office, including services relating to the candidate's decision to seek Federal office, and the person retained is retained to work on activities relating to that candidate's campaign;

"(vii) a payment made by a person who has engaged in a coordinated activity with a candidate described in clauses (i) through (vi) for a communication that clearly refers to the candidate and is for the purpose of influencing an election (regardless of whether the communication is express advocacy);

"(viii) direct participation by a person in fundraising activities with the candidate or in the solicitation or receipt of contributions on behalf of the candidate;

"(ix) communication by a person with the candidate or an agent of the candidate, occurring after the declaration of candidacy (including a pollster, media consultant, vendor, advisor, or staff member), acting on behalf of the candidate, about advertising message, allocation of resources, fundraising, or other campaign matters related to the candidate's campaign, including campaign operations, staffing, tactics, or strategy; or

"(x) the provision of in-kind professional services or polling data to the candidate or candidate's agent.

"(D) For purposes of subparagraph (C), the term 'professional services' includes services in support of a candidate's pursuit of nomination for election, or election, to Federal office such as polling, media advice, direct mail, fundraising, or campaign research.

"(E) For purposes of subparagraph (C), all political committees established and maintained by a national political party (including all congressional campaign committees) and all political committees established and maintained by a State political party (including any subordinate committee of a State committee) shall be considered to be a single political committee."

(2) SECTION 315(a)(7).—Section 315(a)(7) (2 U.S.C. 441a(a)(7)) is amended by striking subparagraph (B) and inserting the following:

"(B) a thing of value provided in coordination with a candidate, as described in section 301(8)(A)(iii), shall be considered to be a contribution to the candidate, and in the case of a limitation on expenditures, shall be treated as an expenditure by the candidate.

(b) MEANING OF CONTRIBUTION OR EXPENDITURE FOR THE PURPOSES OF SECTION 316.—Section 316(b)(2) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441b(b)) is amended by striking "shall include" and inserting "includes a contribution or expenditure, as those terms are defined in section 301, and also includes".

### TITLE III—DISCLOSURE

#### SEC. 301. FILING OF REPORTS USING COMPUTERS AND FACSIMILE MACHINES.

Section 302(a) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 434(a)) is amended by striking paragraph (11) and inserting the following:

"(11)(A) The Commission shall promulgate a regulation under which a person required to file a designation, statement, or report under this Act—

"(i) is required to maintain and file a designation, statement, or report for any cal-

endar year in electronic form accessible by computers if the person has, or has reason to expect to have, aggregate contributions or expenditures in excess of a threshold amount determined by the Commission; and

"(ii) may maintain and file a designation, statement, or report in electronic form or an alternative form, including the use of a facsimile machine, if not required to do so under the regulation promulgated under clause (i).

"(B) The Commission shall make a designation, statement, report, or notification that is filed electronically with the Commission accessible to the public on the Internet not later than 24 hours after the designation, statement, report, or notification is received by the Commission.

"(C) In promulgating a regulation under this paragraph, the Commission shall provide methods (other than requiring a signature on the document being filed) for verifying designations, statements, and reports covered by the regulation. Any document verified under any of the methods shall be treated for all purposes (including penalties for perjury) in the same manner as a document verified by signature."

#### SEC. 302. PROHIBITION OF DEPOSIT OF CONTRIBUTIONS WITH INCOMPLETE CONTRIBUTOR INFORMATION.

Section 302 of Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 432) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(j) DEPOSIT OF CONTRIBUTIONS.—The treasurer of a candidate's authorized committee shall not deposit, except in an escrow account, or otherwise negotiate a contribution from a person who makes an aggregate amount of contributions in excess of \$200 during a calendar year unless the treasurer verifies that the information required by this section with respect to the contributor is complete."

#### SEC. 303. AUDITS.

(a) RANDOM AUDITS.—Section 311(b) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 438(b)) is amended—

(1) by inserting "(1) IN GENERAL.—" before "The Commission"; and

(2) by adding at the end the following:

"(2) RANDOM AUDITS.—

"(A) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding paragraph (1), the Commission may conduct random audits and investigations to ensure voluntary compliance with this Act. The selection of any candidate for a random audit or investigation shall be based on criteria adopted by a vote of at least 4 members of the Commission.

"(B) LIMITATION.—The Commission shall not conduct an audit or investigation of a candidate's authorized committee under subparagraph (A) until the candidate is no longer a candidate for the office sought by the candidate in an election cycle.

"(C) APPLICABILITY.—This paragraph does not apply to an authorized committee of a candidate for President or Vice President subject to audit under section 9007 or 9038 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986."

(b) EXTENSION OF PERIOD DURING WHICH CAMPAIGN AUDITS MAY BE BEGUN.—Section 311(b) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 438(b)) is amended by striking "6 months" and inserting "12 months".

#### SEC. 304. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS OF \$50 OR MORE.

Section 304(b)(3)(A) of the Federal Election Campaign Act at 1971 (2 U.S.C. 434(b)(3)(A)) is amended—

(1) by striking "\$200" and inserting "\$50"; and

(2) by striking the semicolon and inserting ", except that in the case of a person who makes contributions aggregating at least \$50 but not more than \$200 during the calendar year, the identification need include only the name and address of the person;"

#### SEC. 305. USE OF CANDIDATES' NAMES.

Section 302(e) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 432(e)) is amended by striking paragraph (4) and inserting the following:

"(4)(A) The name of each authorized committee shall include the name of the candidate who authorized the committee under paragraph (1).

"(B) A political committee that is not an authorized committee shall not—

"(i) include the name of any candidate in its name; or

"(ii) except in the case of a national, State, or local party committee, use the name of any candidate in any activity on behalf of the committee in such a context as to suggest that the committee is an authorized committee of the candidate or that the use of the candidate's name has been authorized by the candidate."

#### SEC. 306. PROHIBITION OF FALSE REPRESENTATION TO SOLICIT CONTRIBUTIONS.

Section 322 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441h) is amended—

(1) by inserting after "SEC. 322." the following: "(a) IN GENERAL.—"; and

(2) by adding at the end the following:

"(b) SOLICITATION OF CONTRIBUTIONS.—No person shall solicit contributions by falsely representing himself or herself as a candidate or as a representative of a candidate, a political committee, or a political party."

#### SEC. 307. SOFT MONEY OF PERSONS OTHER THAN POLITICAL PARTIES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 304 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 434) (as amended by section 103(c) and section 203) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(g) DISBURSEMENTS OF PERSONS OTHER THAN POLITICAL PARTIES.—

"(1) IN GENERAL.—A person, other than a political committee or a person described in section 501(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, that makes an aggregate amount of disbursements in excess of \$50,000 during a calendar year for activities described in paragraph (2) shall file a statement with the Commission—

"(A) on a monthly basis as described in subsection (a)(4)(B); or

"(B) in the case of disbursements that are made within 20 days of an election, within 24 hours after the disbursements are made.

"(2) ACTIVITY.—The activity described in this paragraph is—

"(A) Federal election activity;

"(B) an activity described in section 316(b)(2)(A) that expresses support for or opposition to a candidate for Federal office or a political party; and

"(C) an activity described in subparagraph (C) of section 316(b)(2).

"(3) APPLICABILITY.—This subsection does not apply to—

"(A) a candidate or a candidate's authorized committees; or

"(B) an independent expenditure.

"(4) CONTENTS.—A statement under this section shall contain such information about the disbursements made during the reporting period as the Commission shall prescribe, including—

"(A) the aggregate amount of disbursements made;

"(B) the name and address of the person or entity to whom a disbursement is made in an aggregate amount in excess of \$200;

"(C) the date made, amount, and purpose of the disbursement; and

"(D) if applicable, whether the disbursement was in support of, or in opposition to, a candidate or a political party, and the name of the candidate or the political party."

(b) DEFINITION OF GENERIC CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY.—Section 301 of the Federal Election

Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) (as amended by section 201(b)) is further amended by adding at the end the following:

"(21) **GENERIC CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY.**—The term 'generic campaign activity' means an activity that promotes a political party and does not promote a candidate or non-Federal candidate."

**SEC. 308. CAMPAIGN ADVERTISING.**

Section 318 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441d) is amended—

(1) in subsection (a)—

(A) in the matter preceding paragraph (1)—

(i) by striking "Whenever" and inserting "Whenever a political committee makes a disbursement for the purpose of financing any communication through any broadcasting station, newspaper, magazine, outdoor advertising facility, mailing, or any other type of general public political advertising, or whenever";

(ii) by striking "an expenditure" and inserting "a disbursement"; and

(iii) by striking "direct"; and

(B) in paragraph (3), by inserting "and permanent street address" after "name"; and

(2) by adding at the end the following:

"(c) Any printed communication described in subsection (a) shall—

"(1) be of sufficient type size to be clearly readable by the recipient of the communication;

"(2) be contained in a printed box set apart from the other contents of the communication; and

"(3) be printed with a reasonable degree of color contrast between the background and the printed statement.

"(d)(1) Any communication described in paragraphs (1) or (2) of subsection (a) which is transmitted through radio or television shall include, in addition to the requirements of that paragraph, an audio statement by the candidate that identifies the candidate and states that the candidate has approved the communication.

"(2) If a communication described in paragraph (1) is transmitted through television, the communication shall include, in addition to the audio statement under paragraph (1), a written statement that—

"(A) appears at the end of the communication in a clearly readable manner with a reasonable degree of color contrast between the background and the printed statement, for a period of at least 4 seconds; and

"(B) is accompanied by a clearly identifiable photographic or similar image of the candidate.

"(e) Any communication described in paragraph (3) of subsection (a) which is transmitted through radio or television shall include, in addition to the requirements of that paragraph, in a clearly spoken manner, the following statement: '\_\_\_\_\_ is responsible for the content of this advertisement.' (with the blank to be filled in with the name of the political committee or other person paying for the communication and the name of any connected organization of the payor). If transmitted through television, the statement shall also appear in a clearly readable manner with a reasonable degree of color contrast between the background and the printed statement, for a period of at least 4 seconds."

**TITLE IV—PERSONAL WEALTH OPTION**

**SEC. 401. VOLUNTARY PERSONAL FUNDS EXPENDITURE LIMIT.**

Title III of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) (as amended by section 101) is amended by adding at the end the following:

**"SEC. 324. VOLUNTARY PERSONAL FUNDS EXPENDITURE LIMIT.**

"(a) **ELIGIBLE CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE.**—

"(1) **PRIMARY ELECTION.**—

"(A) **DECLARATION.**—A candidate for election for Senator or Representative in or Del-

egate or Resident Commissioner to the Congress is an eligible primary election Congressional candidate if the candidate files with the Commission a declaration that the candidate and the candidate's authorized committees will not make expenditures in excess of the personal funds expenditure limit.

"(B) **TIME TO FILE.**—The declaration under subparagraph (A) shall be filed not later than the date on which the candidate files with the appropriate State officer as a candidate for the primary election.

"(2) **GENERAL ELECTION.**—

"(A) **DECLARATION.**—A candidate for election for Senator or Representative in or Delegate or Resident Commissioner to the Congress is an eligible general election Congressional candidate if the candidate files with the Commission—

"(i) a declaration under penalty of perjury, with supporting documentation as required by the Commission, that the candidate and the candidate's authorized committees did not exceed the personal funds expenditure limit in connection with the primary election; and

"(ii) a declaration that the candidate and the candidate's authorized committees will not make expenditures in excess of the personal funds expenditure limit.

"(B) **TIME TO FILE.**—The declaration under subparagraph (A) shall be filed not later than 7 days after the earlier of—

"(i) the date on which the candidate qualifies for the general election ballot under State law; or

"(ii) if under State law, a primary or runoff election to qualify for the general election ballot occurs after September 1, the date on which the candidate wins the primary or runoff election.

**"(b) PERSONAL FUNDS EXPENDITURE LIMIT.—**

"(1) **IN GENERAL.**—The aggregate amount of expenditures that may be made in connection with an election by an eligible Congressional candidate or the candidate's authorized committees from the sources described in paragraph (2) shall not exceed \$50,000.

"(2) **SOURCES.**—A source is described in this paragraph if the source is—

"(A) personal funds of the candidate and members of the candidate's immediate family; or

"(B) proceeds of indebtedness incurred by the candidate or a member of the candidate's immediate family.

"(c) **CERTIFICATION BY THE COMMISSION.—**

"(1) **IN GENERAL.**—The Commission shall determine whether a candidate has met the requirements of this section and, based on the determination, issue a certification stating whether the candidate is an eligible Congressional candidate.

"(2) **TIME FOR CERTIFICATION.**—Not later than 7 business days after a candidate files a declaration under paragraph (1) or (2) of subsection (a), the Commission shall certify whether the candidate is an eligible Congressional candidate.

"(3) **REVOCATION.**—The Commission shall revoke a certification under paragraph (1), based on information submitted in such form and manner as the Commission may require or on information that comes to the Commission by other means, if the Commission determines that a candidate violates the personal funds expenditure limit.

"(4) **DETERMINATIONS BY COMMISSION.**—A determination made by the Commission under this subsection shall be final, except to the extent that the determination is subject to examination and audit by the Commission and to judicial review.

"(d) **PENALTY.**—If the Commission revokes the certification of an eligible Congressional candidate—

"(1) the Commission shall notify the candidate of the revocation; and

"(2) the candidate and a candidate's authorized committees shall pay to the Commission an amount equal to the amount of expenditures made by a national committee of a political party or a State committee of a political party in connection with the general election campaign of the candidate under section 315(d)."

**SEC. 402. POLITICAL PARTY COMMITTEE COORDINATED EXPENDITURES.**

Section 315(d) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441a(d)) (as amended by section 204) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(5) This subsection does not apply to expenditures made in connection with the general election campaign of a candidate for Senator or Representative in or Delegate or Resident Commissioner to the Congress who is not an eligible Congressional candidate (as defined in section 324(a))."

**TITLE V—MISCELLANEOUS**

**SEC. 501. CODIFICATION OF BECK DECISION.**

Section 8 of the National Labor Relations Act (29 U.S.C. 158) is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"(h) **NONUNION MEMBER PAYMENTS TO LABOR ORGANIZATION.—**

"(1) **IN GENERAL.**—It shall be an unfair labor practice for any labor organization which receives a payment from an employee pursuant to an agreement that requires employees who are not members of the organization to make payments to such organization in lieu of organization dues or fees not to establish and implement the objection procedure described in paragraph (2).

"(2) **OBJECTION PROCEDURE.**—The objection procedure required under paragraph (1) shall meet the following requirements:

"(A) The labor organization shall annually provide to employees who are covered by such agreement but are not members of the organization—

"(i) reasonable personal notice of the objection procedure, the employees eligible to invoke the procedure, and the time, place, and manner for filing an objection; and

"(ii) reasonable opportunity to file an objection to paying for organization expenditures supporting political activities unrelated to collective bargaining, including but not limited to the opportunity to file such objection by mail.

"(B) If an employee who is not a member of the labor organization files an objection under the procedure in subparagraph (A), such organization shall—

"(i) reduce the payments in lieu of organization dues or fees by such employee by an amount which reasonably reflects the ratio that the organization's expenditures supporting political activities unrelated to collective bargaining bears to such organization's total expenditures;

"(ii) provide such employee with a reasonable explanation of the organization's calculation of such reduction, including calculating the amount of organization expenditures supporting political activities unrelated to collective bargaining.

"(3) **DEFINITION.**—In this subsection, the term 'expenditures supporting political activities unrelated to collective bargaining' means expenditures in connection with a Federal, State, or local election or in connection with efforts to influence legislation unrelated to collective bargaining."

**SEC. 502. USE OF CONTRIBUTED AMOUNTS FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES.**

Title III of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) is amended by striking section 313 and inserting the following:

**"SEC. 313. USE OF CONTRIBUTED AMOUNTS FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES.**

"(a) **PERMITTED USES.**—A contribution accepted by a candidate, and any other amount

received by an individual as support for activities of the individual as a holder of Federal office, may be used by the candidate or individual—

“(1) for expenditures in connection with the campaign for Federal office of the candidate or individual;

“(2) for ordinary and necessary expenses incurred in connection with duties of the individual as a holder of Federal office;

“(3) for contributions to an organization described in section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; or

“(4) for transfers to a national, State, or local committee of a political party.

“(b) PROHIBITED USE.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—A contribution or amount described in subsection (a) shall not be converted by any person to personal use.

“(2) CONVERSION.—For the purposes of paragraph (1), a contribution or amount shall be considered to be converted to personal use if the contribution or amount is used to fulfill any commitment, obligation, or expense of a person that would exist irrespective of the candidate's election campaign or individual's duties as a holder of Federal officeholder, including—

“(A) a home mortgage, rent, or utility payment;

“(B) a clothing purchase;

“(C) a noncampaign-related automobile expense;

“(D) a country club membership;

“(E) a vacation or other noncampaign-related trip;

“(F) a household food item;

“(G) a tuition payment;

“(H) admission to a sporting event, concert, theater, or other form of entertainment not associated with an election campaign; and

“(I) dues, fees, and other payments to a health club or recreational facility.”.

#### SEC. 503. LIMIT ON CONGRESSIONAL USE OF THE FRANKING PRIVILEGE.

Section 3210(a)(6) of title 39, United States Code, is amended by striking subparagraph (A) and inserting the following:

“(A) A Member of Congress shall not mail any mass mailing as franked mail during the 180-day period which ends on the date of the general election for the office held by the Member or during the 90-day period which ends on the date of any primary election for that office, unless the Member has made a public announcement that the Member will not be a candidate for reelection during that year or for election to any other Federal office.”.

#### SEC. 504. PROHIBITION OF FUNDRAISING ON FEDERAL PROPERTY.

Section 607 of title 18, United States Code, is amended—

(1) by striking subsection (a) and inserting the following:

“(a) PROHIBITION.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—It shall be unlawful for any person to solicit or receive a donation of money or other thing of value for a political committee or a candidate for Federal, State or local office from a person who is located in a room or building occupied in the discharge of official duties by an officer or employee of the United States. An individual who is an officer or employee of the Federal Government, including the President, Vice President, and Members of Congress, shall not solicit a donation of money or other thing of value for a political committee or candidate for Federal, State or local office, while in any room or building occupied in the discharge of official duties by an officer or employee of the United States, from any person.

“(2) PENALTY.—A person who violates this section shall be fined not more than \$5,000, imprisoned more than 3 years, or both.”; and

(2) by inserting in subsection (b) after “Congress” “or Executive Office of the President”.

#### SEC. 505. PENALTIES FOR KNOWING AND WILLFUL VIOLATIONS.

(a) INCREASED PENALTIES.—Section 309(a) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g(a)) is amended—

(1) in paragraphs (5)(A), (6)(A), and (6)(B), by striking “\$5,000” and inserting “\$10,000”; and

(2) in paragraphs (5)(B) and (6)(C), by striking “\$10,000 or an amount equal to 200 percent” and inserting “\$20,000 or an amount equal to 300 percent”.

(b) EQUITABLE REMEDIES.—Section 309(a)(5)(A) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g(a)(5)) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting “, and may include equitable remedies or penalties, including disgorgement of funds to the Treasury or community service requirements (including requirements to participate in public education programs).”.

(c) AUTOMATIC PENALTY FOR LATE FILING.—Section 309(a) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g(a)) is amended—

(1) by adding at the end the following:

“(13) PENALTY FOR LATE FILING.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—

“(i) MONETARY PENALTIES.—The Commission shall establish a schedule of mandatory monetary penalties that shall be imposed by the Commission for failure to meet a time requirement for filing under section 304.

“(ii) REQUIRED FILING.—In addition to imposing a penalty, the Commission may require a report that has not been filed within the time requirements of section 304 to be filed by a specific date.

“(iii) PROCEDURE.—A penalty or filing requirement imposed under this paragraph shall not be subject to paragraph (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), or (12).

“(B) FILING AN EXCEPTION.—

“(i) TIME TO FILE.—A political committee shall have 30 days after the imposition of a penalty or filing requirement by the Commission under this paragraph in which to file an exception with the Commission.

“(ii) TIME FOR COMMISSION TO RULE.—Within 30 days after receiving an exception, the Commission shall make a determination that is a final agency action subject to exclusive review by the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit under section 706 of title 5, United States Code, upon petition filed in that court by the political committee or treasurer that is the subject of the agency action, if the petition is filed within 30 days after the date of the Commission action for which review is sought.”;

(2) in paragraph (5)(D)—

(A) by inserting after the first sentence the following: “In any case in which a penalty or filing requirement imposed on a political committee or treasurer under paragraph (13) has not been satisfied, the Commission may institute a civil action for enforcement under paragraph (6)(A).”; and

(B) by inserting before the period at the end of the last sentence the following: “or has failed to pay a penalty or meet a filing requirement imposed under paragraph (13).”; and

(3) in paragraph (6)(A), by striking “paragraph (4)(A)” and inserting “paragraph (4)(A) or (13).”.

#### SEC. 506. STRENGTHENING FOREIGN MONEY BAN.

Section 319 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441e) is amended—

(1) by striking the heading and inserting the following: “CONTRIBUTIONS AND DONATIONS BY FOREIGN NATIONALS”; and

(2) by striking subsection (a) and inserting the following:

“(a) PROHIBITION.—It shall be unlawful for—

“(1) a foreign national, directly or indirectly, to make—

“(A) a donation of money or other thing of value, or to promise expressly or impliedly to make a donation, in connection with a Federal, State, or local election to a political committee or a candidate for Federal office, or

“(B) a contribution or donation to a committee of a political party; or

“(2) a person to solicit, accept, or receive a contribution or donation described in paragraph (1)(A) from a foreign national.”.

#### SEC. 507. PROHIBITION OF CONTRIBUTIONS BY MINORS.

Title III of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) (as amended by sections 101 and 401) is amended by adding at the end the following:

#### “SEC. 325. PROHIBITION OF CONTRIBUTIONS BY MINORS.

An individual who is 17 years old or younger shall not make a contribution to a candidate or a contribution or donation to a committee of a political party.”.

#### SEC. 508. EXPEDITED PROCEDURES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 309(a) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g(a)) (as amended by section 505(c)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(14)(A) If the complaint in a proceeding was filed within 60 days preceding the date of a general election, the Commission may take action described in this subparagraph.

“(B) If the Commission determines, on the basis of facts alleged in the complaint and other facts available to the Commission, that there is clear and convincing evidence that a violation of this Act has occurred, is occurring, or is about to occur, the Commission may order expedited proceedings, shortening the time periods for proceedings under paragraphs (1), (2), (3), and (4) as necessary to allow the matter to be resolved in sufficient time before the election to avoid harm or prejudice to the interests of the parties.

“(C) If the Commission determines, on the basis of facts alleged in the complaint and other facts available to the Commission, that the complaint is clearly without merit, the Commission may—

“(i) order expedited proceedings, shortening the time periods for proceedings under paragraphs (1), (2), (3), and (4) as necessary to allow the matter to be resolved in sufficient time before the election to avoid harm or prejudice to the interests of the parties; or

“(ii) if the Commission determines that there is insufficient time to conduct proceedings before the election, summarily dismiss the complaint.”.

(b) REFERRAL TO ATTORNEY GENERAL.—Section 309(a)(5) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g(a)(5)) is amended by striking subparagraph (C) and inserting the following:

“(C) The Commission may at any time, by an affirmative vote of at least 4 of its members, refer a possible violation of this Act or chapter 95 or 96 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, to the Attorney General of the United States, without regard to any limitation set forth in this section.”.

#### SEC. 509. INITIATION OF ENFORCEMENT PROCEEDING.

Section 309(a)(2) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g(a)(2)) is amended by striking “reason to believe that” and inserting “reason to investigate whether”.

#### TITLE VI—SEVERABILITY; CONSTITUTIONALITY; EFFECTIVE DATE; REGULATIONS

##### SEC. 601. SEVERABILITY.

If any provision of this Act or amendment made by this Act, or the application of a pro-

vision or amendment to any person or circumstance, is held to be unconstitutional, the remainder of this Act and amendments made by this Act, and the application of the provisions and amendment to any person or circumstance, shall not be affected by the holding.

#### SEC. 602. REVIEW OF CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUES.

An appeal may be taken directly to the Supreme Court of the United States from any final judgment, decree, or order issued by any court ruling on the constitutionality of any provision of this Act or amendment made by this Act.

#### SEC. 603. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Except as otherwise provided in this Act, this Act and the amendments made by this Act take effect January 1, 1999.

#### SEC. 604. REGULATIONS.

The Federal Election Commission shall prescribe any regulations required to carry out this Act and the amendments made by this Act not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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So the amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended, was agreed to.

THE SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, assumed the Chair.

When Mrs. EMERSON, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

#### §80.40 COMMITTEE RESIGNATION— MAJORITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KLUG, laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, July 30, 1998.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,

*The Speaker's Rooms, U.S. House of Representatives, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: I want to thank you for your kind letter this week celebrating our successes on privatization, and also to respond to your suggestions that we map out a blueprint for further achievements in the next session of Congress.

In fact, my staff and I discussed the same idea some weeks back, and we're excited about your request. As you and I discussed, we will focus on options for privatizing Amtrak, Social Security, the power marketing resources including TVA, and the United States Post Office. You can expect the report shortly after Thanksgiving.

We will lay out for you legislative options and document how other countries built political consensus to make tough decisions. I am convinced we can net the Treasury hundreds of billions of dollars, and at the same time provide better services to U.S. taxpayers.

Unfortunately, because of the time commitment to this project and future business plans in Wisconsin, I will have to make a difficult choice.

Today I am tendering my resignation from the Commerce Committee.

I'm proud of what the Committee accomplished during my tenure. With Chairman Tom Bliley's leadership, we speeded up the FDA's approval of new drugs saving thousands of lives. We deregulated the exploding telecommunications industry. Perhaps most important of all, our bold plan saved Medicare for our children.

I deeply appreciate your leadership and friendship. I look forward to finishing one last assignment for you.

Sincerely yours,

SCOTT KLUG.

By unanimous consent, the resignation was accepted.

#### §80.41 COMMITTEE ELECTION—MAJORITY

Mr. BOEHNER, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution (H. Res. 515):

*Resolved*, That the following named Member be, and she is hereby, elected to the following standing committee of the House of Representatives:

Committee on Commerce: Mrs. Wilson.

When said resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

#### §80.42 COMMERCE, STATE, JUSTICE AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 1999

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to House Resolution 508 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 4276) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agen-

cies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SHIMKUS, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

¶80.43 SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

Bills and joint resolutions of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 1325. An Act to authorize appropriations for the Technology Administration of the Department of Commerce for fiscal years 1998, 1999, and 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

S. 1883. An Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Marion National Fish Hatchery and the Claude Harris Aquacultural Research Center to the State of Alabama, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

S.J. Res. 35. Joint Resolution granting the consent of Congress to the Pacific Northwest Emergency Management Arrangement; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

S.J. Res. 51. Joint Resolution granting the consent of Congress to the Potomac Highlands Airport Authority Compact entered into between the States of Maryland and West Virginia; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶80.44 ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 434. An Act to provide for the conveyance of small parcels of land in the Carson National Forest and the Santa Fe National Forest, New Mexico, to the village of El Rito and the town of Jemez Springs, New Mexico.

H.R. 643. An Act to designate the United States courthouse to be constructed at the corner of Superior and Huron Roads, in Cleveland, Ohio, as the "Carl B. Stokes United States Courthouse".

H.R. 765. An Act to ensure maintenance of a herd of wild horses in Cape Lookout National Seashore.

H.R. 872. An Act to establish rules governing product liability actions against raw materials and bulk component suppliers to medical device manufacturers, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1085. An Act to revise, codify, and enact without substantive change certain general and permanent laws, related to patriotic and national observances, ceremonies, and organizations, as title 36, United States Code, "Patriotic and National Observances, Ceremonies, and Organizations".

H.R. 1385. An Act to consolidate, coordinate, and improve employment, training, literacy, and vocational rehabilitation programs in the United States, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3152. An Act to provide that certain volunteers at private non-profit food banks are not employees for purposes of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938.

H.R. 3504. An Act to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and to further define the criteria for capital repair and operation and maintenance.

H.R. 3731. An Act to designate the auditorium located within the Sandia Technology Transfer Center in Albuquerque, New Mexico, as the "Steve Schiff Auditorium".

H.R. 4237. An Act to amend the District of Columbia Convention Center and Sports Arena Authorization Act of 1995 to revise the revenues and activities covered under such Act, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4354. An Act to establish the United States Capitol Police Memorial Fund on behalf of the families of Detective John Michael Gibson and Private First Class Jacob Joseph Chestnut of the United States Capitol Police.

¶80.45 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Ms. KILPATRICK, for today and August 4;

To Mr. ORTIZ, for today through 12 noon on August 4; and

To Mr. POMEROY, for today.

And then,

¶80.46 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. BILIRAKIS, at 11 o'clock and 9 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶80.47 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. SMITH of Texas: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2759. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the requirements for the admission of non-immigrant nurses who will practice in health professional shortage areas; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-668). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3047. A bill to authorize expansion of Fort Davis National Historic Site in Fort Davis, Texas, by 16 acres (Rept. No. 105-669). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4380. A bill making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-670). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 4342. A bill to make miscellaneous and technical changes to various trade laws, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-671). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. House Concurrent Resolution 213. Resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the European Union is unfairly restricting the importation of United States agriculture products and the elimination of such restrictions should be a top priority in trade negotiations with the European Union; with amendments (Rept. No. 105-672). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶80.48 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina:

H.R. 4380. A bill making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 4381. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for a nonrefundable tax credit for law enforcement officers who purchase armor vests, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BLILEY (for himself, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. UPTON, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. GREEN, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mrs. CUBIN, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. HALL of Texas, and Ms. FURSE):

H.R. 4382. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend the program for mammography quality standards; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BURR of North Carolina (for himself, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. UPTON, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. TOWNS, and Mr. STRICKLAND):

H.R. 4383. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to provide for uniform food safety warning notification requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. FROST:

H.R. 4384. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, relating to continuation of operating assistance for small transit operators in large urbanized areas; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. McNULTY (for himself, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. MANTON, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. CAMP, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. FROST, Mr. WALSH, Mr. SERRANO, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. SHAW, Ms. DANNER, Mr. TANNER, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. WOLF, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. KIM, Mrs. CLAYTON, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. COX of California, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. DREIER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. PAPPAS, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. MANZULLO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GOODE, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. BOEHLERT, Ms. GRANGER, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BUYER, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. QUINN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. FORBES, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. RYUN, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. WICKER,

Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. SANDLIN, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. WEYGAND):

H.R. 4385. A bill to designate the national cemetery in Saratoga, New York, as the "Gerald B. H. Solomon Saratoga National Cemetery"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. RAMSTAD (for himself, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. METCALF):

H.R. 4386. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the tax treatment of section 42 housing cooperatives and the shareholders of such cooperatives, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. THOMAS:

H.R. 4387. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to eliminate the duty on certain electromagnets; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BRYANT (for himself, Mr. FAWELL, and Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky):

H. Con. Res. 314. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to war crimes against United States military personnel and their families, and in particular to the war crimes committed in El Salvador against United States Army pilots David H. Pickett and Earnest Dawson, Jr.; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ENGEL, Mrs. KELLY and Mr. MORAN of Virginia):

H. Con. Res. 315. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress condemning the atrocities by Serbian police and military forces against Albanians in Kosova and urging that blocked assets of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) under control of the United States and other governments be used to compensate the Albanians in Kosova for losses suffered through Serbian police and military action; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. BOEHNER:

H. Res. 515. A resolution designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

#### 180.49 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of Rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 218: Mr. SUNUNU and Mr. SALMON.

H.R. 303: Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 900: Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H.R. 1126: Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. YATES, and Mr. GUTKNECHT.

H.R. 1560: Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. COOK, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. PITTS, Mr. WAMP, Mr. CANNON, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. BASS, Mr. WELLER, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. WHITE, Mrs. BONO, Mr. MCHALE, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. STOKES, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. YATES.

H.R. 1773: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.

H.R. 1788: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1951: Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 2009: Mr. TRAFICANT and Mr. SPENCE.

H.R. 2409: Mr. STOKES.

H.R. 2708: Mr. SKELTON, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 2804: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 2828: Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. FROST.

H.R. 2840: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 2951: Mr. MATSUI and Mr. BENTSEN.

H.R. 3032: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 3255: Ms. DANNER.

H.R. 3261: Mr. HILL.

H.R. 3553: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. BISHOP, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. STOKES, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. DELAHUNT.

H.R. 3572: Mr. WOLF and Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 3610: Mr. HASTERT and Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 3622: Mr. DOOLEY of California.

H.R. 3641: Mr. WATKINS.

H.R. 3698: Ms. HARMAN.

H.R. 3702: Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. FROST, and Mr. UNDERWOOD.

H.R. 3792: Mr. WHITE.

H.R. 3802: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 3843: Mr. HALL of Texas and Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 3870: Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BOB SCHAFER, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. METCALF, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. STRICKLAND, and Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 3918: Ms. PELOSI.

H.R. 4031: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 4035: Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. GORDON, Mr. STOKES, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. GREEN, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. COYNE, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. SERRANO, and Mr. BROWN of California.

H.R. 4036: Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. GORDON, Mr. STOKES, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. GREEN, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. COYNE, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mr. BROWN of California.

H.R. 4062: Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 4095: Mr. CAMPBELL.

H.R. 4122: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 4127: Mr. BALDACCIO and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 4138: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 4213: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. HALL of Texas, and Mr. CHABOT.

H.R. 4220: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 4235: Mr. ORTIZ and Mr. DOOLEY of California.

H.R. 4281: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 4283: Mr. BOEHLERT, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mr. MCNULTY.

H.R. 4339: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. HILLEARY.

H.R. 4353: Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 4362: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LAFALCE, Ms. LEE, Mr. TORRES, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 4370: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island and Mr. SESSIONS.

H. Con. Res. 258: Mr. PETRI, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. ENGEL.

H. Con. Res. 290: Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HILL, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. EVERETT, and Mr. POMEROY.

H. Con. Res. 312: Mr. HEFLEY.

H. Con. Res. 313: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, and Mr. SERRANO.

#### TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1998 (81)

The House was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by the SPEAKER, when, pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, January 21, 1997, Members were recognized for "morning-hour debate".

181.1 RECESS—9:33 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. MORELLA, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess until 10 o'clock a.m.

181.2 AFTER RECESS—10 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. DICKEY, called the House to order.

181.3 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. DICKEY, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, August 3, 1998.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

181.4 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

10490. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Ocean Perch in the Western Aleutian District of the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands [Docket No. 971208298-8055-02; I.D. 071698A] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10491. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pelagic Shelf Rockfish in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 971208297-8054-02; I.D. 071698H] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10492. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pelagic Shelf Rockfish in the Western Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 971208297-8054-02; I.D. 071698E] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10493. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pelagic Shelf Rockfish in the Eastern Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 971208297-8054-02; I.D. 071698I] received July 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

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